



AGRICULTURAL PRICES

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Prices Received by Florida Farmers

The Valencia orange price was \$8.22 per box, up 57 cents per box from the May 2011 and June 2010 prices. Prices increased due to tight supplies.

The Florida milk price was \$25.00 per hundredweight, up 60 cents from a month earlier and \$4.50 above last year. The price was higher due to higher prices of cheese, whey, and non-fat milk.

United States Price Index

The preliminary All Farm Products Index of Prices Received by Farmers in June 2011, at 181 percent, based on 1990-92=100, increased seven points (4.0 percent) from May. The Crop Index is up 12 points (6.0 percent) but the Livestock Index was unchanged. Producers received higher prices for milk, corn, and broccoli, and lower prices for cattle, lettuce, wheat, and strawberries. In addition to prices, the overall Index is also affected by the seasonal change based on a 3-year average mix of commodities producers sell. Increased monthly marketings of wheat, hay, grapes, and peaches offset decreased marketings of corn, cattle, oranges, and milk.

The preliminary All Farm Products Index is up 46 points (34 percent) from June 2010. The Food Commodities Index, at 172, increased seven points (4.2 percent) from last month and 38 points (28 percent) from June 2010.

Index Summary Table

Index	June 2010	May 2011	June 2011
Prices received.....	135	174	181
Prices paid	181	204	204
Ratio prices received to prices paid.....	75	85	89

Average Price Received by Farmers

[Eggs, broilers and hay prices are midmonth estimates. Prices for the latest month for grains and soybeans are midmonth estimates. Prices for most meat animals are first half of month and other estimates are for the entire month]

Commodity	Florida			United States		
	June 2010	May 2011	June 2011	June 2010	May 2011	June 2011
MEAT ANIMALS						
Cows dollars per cwt	54.40	(3)	(3)	57.90	78.20	77.20
Steers & heifers dollars per cwt	98.90	(3)	(3)	94.80	115.00	108.00
Calves dollars per cwt	116.00	(3)	(3)	122.00	137.00	129.00
Hogs ¹ dollars per cwt				58.20	68.60	67.70
MILK ²						
Sold to plants, all dollars per cwt	20.50	24.40	25.00	15.40	19.60	21.00
POULTRY						
Commercial broilers ¹ cents per pound				0.520	0.500	0.500
Table eggs ¹ dollars per dozen				0.422	0.622	0.687
CITRUS, ON TREE						
Oranges						
Valencia..... dollars per box	7.65	7.65	8.22	8.85	7.45	8.12
Grapefruit..... dollars per box	(4)	6.13	(4)	5.40	6.77	9.50
Tangerines..... dollars per box	(4)	(S)	(4)	(D)	(S)	(S)
FIELD CROPS						
Potatoes dollars per cwt	13.30	(D)	(D)	8.25	11.17	11.08
Hay, All baled dollars per ton				114.00	169.00	163.00
Peanuts dollars per pound	0.204	0.229	0.226	0.216	0.229	0.232
Corn ¹ dollars per bushel				3.41	6.30	6.58
Oats ¹ dollars per bushel				2.11	3.55	3.51
Cotton, Upland ¹ dollars per pound				0.685	0.813	0.796
Sorghum ¹ dollars per cwt				5.38	11.60	11.80
Soybeans ¹ dollars per bushel				9.45	13.20	13.30
Wheat, Winter ¹ dollars per bushel				4.05	7.80	7.35

D Withheld to avoid disclosing date for individual operations.

S Insufficient number of reports to establish an estimate.

¹ Only marketing year average prices are estimated for Florida, except broilers, eggs, oats and sorghum which are not estimated.

² Before deductions for hauling and government withholding, and includes quantity and other premiums, but excludes hauling subsidies.

³ Monthly prices discontinued January 2011.

⁴ Not estimated this month.

Highlights-United States Prices Received Indices: June 2011

All Crops: The Index, at 213, increased 6.0 percent from May and is 49 percent above June 2010. Increases for fruits & nuts, feed grains & hay, oilseeds, and food grains more than offset the index decreases for commercial vegetables, potatoes & dry beans, and cotton.

Food Grains: The Index, at 257, is 2.0 percent above the previous month and 77 percent above a year ago. The June all wheat price, at \$7.85 per bushel, is down 31 cents from May but \$3.69 above June 2010.

Feed Grains & Hay: The Index at 269 is up 1.5 percent from last month and 81 percent above a year ago. The corn price, at \$6.58 per bushel, is up 28 cents from last month and \$3.17 above June 2010 due to weather concerns. The all hay price, at \$163.00 per ton, is down \$6.00 from May but up \$49.00 from last June. Sorghum grain, at \$11.80 per hundredweight is 20 cents above May and \$6.42 above June last year.

Cotton, Upland: The Index, at 131, is down 2.2 percent from May but 16 percent above last year due to weak demand. The June price, at 79.6 cents per pound, is down 1.7 cents from the previous month but 11.1 cents above last June.

Oilseeds: The Index, at 240, is up 1.7 percent from May and 43 percent higher than June 2010. The soybean price, at \$13.30 per bushel, increased 10 cents from May and is \$3.85 above June 2010 due to supply concerns.

Potatoes & Dry Beans: The Index, at 188, is down 0.5 percent from last month but 33 percent above June 2010. The all potato price, at \$11.08 per hundredweight, is down nine cents from May due to increased marketings. The all dry bean price, at \$33.20 per hundredweight is up 30 cents from the previous month and \$7.20 above June 2010.

Fruits & Nuts: The Index, at 157, is up 9.8 percent from May and 18 percent higher than a year ago. Price increases for oranges, lemons, and apples more than offset decreases for peaches, strawberries, and pears.

Commercial Vegetables: The Index, at 168, is down 2.9 percent from last month but 11 percent above June 2010. Price declines during June for lettuce, celery, carrots, and cantaloupes more than offset price increases for broccoli, cucumbers, onions, and sweet corn.

Livestock & Products: The Index, at 152, is unchanged from last month but up 18 percent from June 2010. Compared with a year ago, prices are higher for milk, cattle, hogs, eggs, turkeys, and calves. Broilers prices are down from last year.

Meat Animals: The Index, at 144, is down 4.6 percent from last month but 16 percent higher than last year. The June hog price, at \$67.70 per hundredweight, is down 90 cents from May but \$9.50 higher than a year ago. The June beef cattle price of \$106 per hundredweight is down \$6.00 from last month due to lower boxed beef prices and higher corn prices.

Dairy Products: The Index, at 161, is up 7.3 percent from a month ago and 36 percent higher than June last year. The June all milk price of \$21.00 per hundredweight is up \$1.40 from last month and \$5.60 higher than June 2010.

Poultry & Eggs: The Index, at 157, is up 1.3 percent from May and 4.0 percent above a year ago. The June market egg price, at 68.7 cents per dozen, increased 6.5 cents from May and is 26.5 cents above June 2010. The June broiler price, at 50.0 cents per pound, is unchanged from May but 2.0 cents below a year ago. The June turkey price, at 69.0 cents per pound, is up 1.1 cents from the previous month and 7.3 cents from a year earlier due to decreased production.

Prices Received for Selected Agricultural Commodities, by month - United States: 2010 and 2011

Month	All wheat		Corn		Soybeans		Beef cattle ¹		All hogs	
	2010	2011 ²	2010	2011 ²	2010	2011 ²	2010	2011 ²	2010	2011 ²
	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per bushel)	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)	(dollars per cwt)
January	4.90	6.69	3.66	4.94	9.79	11.60	82.30	107.00	48.40	55.80
February.....	4.73	7.42	3.55	5.64	9.41	12.70	85.70	108.00	48.90	61.60
March.....	4.70	7.55	3.55	5.53	9.39	12.70	90.40	115.00	52.10	63.10
April.....	4.41	8.01	3.41	6.35	9.47	13.10	95.60	119.00	56.50	67.70
May.....	4.34	8.16	3.48	6.30	9.41	13.20	94.70	112.00	62.20	68.60
June.....	4.16	7.85	3.41	6.58	9.45	13.30	90.40	106.00	58.20	67.70
July	4.49		3.49		9.79		91.70		58.50	
August.....	5.44		3.65		10.10		93.50		61.30	
September.....	5.79		4.08		9.98		94.10		61.00	
October	5.88		4.32		10.20		93.10		53.30	
November	6.10		4.55		11.10		94.00		47.80	
December	6.44		4.82		11.60		98.10		52.30	

¹ Includes cows, steers, and heifers.
² Current month prices are mid-month; prices for previous months are for the entire month.